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TITLE: 1,3-DIMETHYLBUTYL CARBOX-)
ANILIDES FOR CONTROLLING)
UNDESIRABLE MICRO-)
ORGANISMS)

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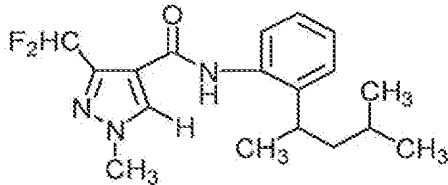
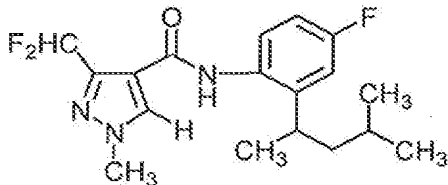
Sir:

I, Peter Dahmen, of Altebrücker Str. 61, 41470 Neuss, Germany, a citizen of Germany, hereby declare:

1. I am a biologist having studied at the University of Bonn, Germany, where I received the degree of Dr. agr.; I entered the employ of Bayer Aktiengesellschaft, Leverkusen, Germany, in 1991, where I have been employed in the department of Biology Herbicides and after the spin-off from Bayer CropScience AG I am now employee of this company in the department of Global Biology Fungicides; and I specialize in the field of fungicide research.

2. I am familiar with the subject matter of the above-identified United States patent application.

Table: *Leptosphaeria nodorum* test (wheat) / preventive

Tested compound	Rate of application of active compound in ppm	Efficacy in %
<p>Known from US 5,914,344 (Ex. 3)</p> 	1000	44
<p>Inventive compound (Ex. 14)</p> 	1000	93

4. The undersigned declares further that all statements made herein of his own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing therefrom.

Further Declarant Sayeth Not.

Signed at Monheim, Germany, this 15. day of June, 2011.


 PETER DAHMEN